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SUBJECT: CODEL MANSFIELD

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1. EMBASSY PLEASED SENATOR MANSFIELD AND PARTY WILL BE ABLE SPEND SOME TIME IN LISBON. AMBASSADOR EXTENDS CORDIAL INVITATION FOR SENATOR AND MRS. MANSFIELD TO STAY AT RESIDENCE, BUT AIRCONDITIONING NOT AVAILABLE. PENDING REPLY WE HAVE CONFIRMED RESERVATIONS FOR ENTIRE PARTY AT RITZ.

2. CONTROL OFFICER IS MS. MARCIA MYERS.

3. AMBASSADOR HAS NO OBJECTION TO PARA 5 (A) REFTEL.

4. SINCE TRIP AND TIME ZONE CHANGE ARE EXTREMELY TIRING, EMBASSY PROPOSES NO FORMAL SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY AUGUST 3. CAR, DRIVER AND EMBASSY STAFF WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SIGHTSEEING AS DESIRED.

5. FOLLOWING SCHEDULE PROPOSED FOR MONDAY AUGUST 4:

(A) BREAKFAST AT HOTEL.

(B) 10:00 A.M. BRIEFING AT EMBASSY BY AMBASSADOR, ECONOMIC COUNSELOR JAMES FERRER AND DATT COLONEL PETER
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BLACKLEY.

(C) LUNCH AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE WITH SOCIALIST LEADER MARIO SOARES (IF AVAILABLE) AND PPD EXECUTIVE SECRETARY EMIDIO GUERREIRO, IF HE HAS RETURNED FROM EUROPEAN VISIT. APPROPRIATE SECOND ECHELON OFFICIALS WOULD BE INCLUDED.

(D) AFTERNOON AND EVENING. EMBASSY WOULD EXTEND DINNER INVITATION TO PRIME MINISTER VASCO GONCALVES AND WIFE. GIVEN FLUID POLITICAL SITUATION AND FACT THAT GONCALVES HAS BEEN WORKING FRENETICALLY TO FORM A GOVERNMENT WE DOUBT HE WILL ACCEPT. WE WOULD THEN SUGGEST TO FONMIN PROTOCOL OFFICE (THE PRESCRIBED CHANNEL FOR ALL SUCH REQUESTS) THAT CODEL WOULD APPRECIATE SEPARATE MEETINGS WITH PRESIDENT COSTA GOMES, VASCO GONCALVES AND THIRD MEMBER OF NEW DIRECTORATE COPCON COMMANDER OTELO SARAIVA DE CARVALHO (RECENTLY RETURNED FROM CUBA WHERE HE WAS DINED AND DINED LAVISHLY BY CASTRO.)

6. ASSUMING GONCALVES DOES NOT ACCEPT DINNER INVITATION AMBASSADOR COULD HAVE INFORMAL DINNER FOR CODEL, OR WE COULD INVITE SELECTED PORTUGUESE AND AMERICAN ENGLISH-SPEAKING BUSINESS LEADERS. PLEASE LET US KNOW CODEL'S PREFERENCE.

7. SEPARATE ITINERARY FOR MRS. MANSFIELD WOULD INCLUDE MONDAY VISIT TO NEARBY CITY OF SINTRA AND LUNCH AT QUELUZ PALACE. BOTH ARE ATTRACTIVE AND HISTORICAL. OTHER VISITS SUCH AS ST. JORGE CASTLE COULD BE ARRANGED ON THE SPOT IF DESIRED.

8. GOP HAS BECOME EXTREMELY RELUCTANT TO ACT ON LAST MINUTE REQUESTS FOR APPOINTMENTS. PRESIDENT HAS ISSUED STANDING INSTRUCTIONS TO HIS STAFF NOT TO ACCEPT SUCH REQUESTS. IT IMPORTANT THEREFORE THAT WE MAKE OUR REQUESTS THIS AFTERNOON. EVEN IF WE DO SENATOR SHOULD BE AWARE THAT GOP SO PREOCCUPIED WITH DOMESTIC CRISIS THAT VISITS MIGHT NOT BE POSSIBLE. IN THIS CONNECTION WE NOTE THAT PRESIDENT HAS POSTPONED HIS VISIT TO HELSINKI, AND THAT MEETINGS OF RULING GROUPS HAVE LITERALLY BEEN TAKING PLACE AROUND THE CLOCK FOR WEEKS.

9. IN INTEREST OF SPEED CONTROL OFFICER MYERS WILL CALL
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MR. SCHWARTZ DIRECTLY THIS AFTERNOON JULY 31 TO OBTAIN VIEWS OF CODEL ON ABOVE SCHEDULE.
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